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**Sent**: 9/27/2016 12:58:23 PM

To: Crossland, Andy [Crossland.Andy@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Whole Foods Market's press release

Yes - thanks!

From: Crossland, Andy

**Sent:** Tuesday, September 27, 2016 8:57 AM **To:** Welles, Laura < Welles. Laura@epa.gov> **Subject:** RE: Whole Foods Market's press release

That is where we were leaning as well....

## Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

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From: Welles, Laura

**Sent:** Tuesday, September 27, 2016 8:56 AM **To:** Crossland, Andy <<u>Crossland.Andy@epa.gov</u>> **Subject:** RE: Whole Foods Market's press release

Thanks Andy. I'll look into John's questions.

I'll review the CAFOs again (R6 and Walmart), but my initial reaction is that **Ex. 5 A** it's more comprehensive.

Ex. 5 AC/AWP/DP

– I think

From: Crossland, Andy

Sent: Monday, September 26, 2016 5:02 PMTo: Welles, Laura < Welles. Laura@epa.gov >Subject: FW: Whole Foods Market's press release

Heya. Welcome back...

We had a pre-meet just a bit ago for the Whole Foods meeting tomorrow. Looks like John is to be our main spokesperson tomorrow. We will be mostly in listening mode, but some of John's questions for moving forward—

How did the region calculate penalty?

## Ex. 5 AC/AWP/DP

What is the model we would use? **Ex. 5 AC/AWP/DP** 

See you shortly...

--Andy

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From: Saenz, Diana

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Subject: Whole Foods Market's press release

FYI – Attached is a link to Whole Foods Market's press release on the R6 settlement-

http://media.wholefoodsmarket.com/news/statement-by-gvp-brooke-buchanan-regarding-recent-epa-decision

From their press release, they indicate "investment in enhanced IT systems to identify products that become hazardous waste"

## Whole Foods Market's environmental compliance measures include:

- Updated environmental compliance standards and operating procedures for stores and facilities
- Enhanced training programs for Team Members
- Investments in enhanced IT systems to identify products that become hazardous waste in real time, so they may be tracked, managed and catalogued properly
- Retention of additional internal and external environmental compliance experts for program and compliance

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